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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF HAWAI‘I

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR
GUN RIGHTS et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ANNE E. LOPEZ, in her official
capacity as Attorney General for the
State of Hawai‘i,

Defendant.

Civil No. 1:22-cv-404-MWJS-RT

**NOTICE OF DECISION;
EXHIBITS A-B; CERTIFICATE
OF SERVICE**

District Judge:

Hon. Micah W.J. Smith

Magistrate Judge:

Hon. Rom Trader

NOTICE OF DECISION

Pursuant to this Court's July 22, 2024 Entering Order (ECF No. 92), Plaintiffs NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR GUN RIGHTS, RONDELLE AYAU, and JEFFREY BRYANT and Defendant ANNE E. LOPEZ, in her official capacity as Attorney General for the State of Hawai'i, submit this Notice of Decision to inform the Court that, on March 20, 2025, the en banc U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit issued its decision in *Duncan v. Bonta*, No. 23-55805 (9th Cir.). The en banc Ninth Circuit held that California's law prohibiting the possession of large-capacity magazines capable of accepting more than 10 rounds of ammunition comports with the Second Amendment, reversed the district court's contrary conclusion, and remanded with the instruction to enter judgment in favor of the Attorney General of the State of California. The en banc Court also rejected plaintiffs' challenge to the law under the Fifth Amendment's Takings Clause. A copy of the decision is attached as **Exhibit A**.¹

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¹ In a separate per curiam order issued on March 20, 2025, the en banc Ninth Circuit held that it had statutory authority under 28 U.S.C. § 46(c) to decide the *Duncan* appeal. A copy of the order is attached as **Exhibit B**.

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